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| Transguard Insurance Company |) | JUL \$ 7 2006 |
| of America, Inc. Plaintiff v. |) (Judge Richard P. Conabo) | NY MARY E. CANDREA, CLERK |
| Hinchey et al. Defendants. |) Civil Action No. 3:05-CV) | '-0538 |

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

By prior Order this Court set Tuesday, August 1, 2006, as the date for a hearing on a remaining issue in this case. The remaining issue will require that this Court hear testimony to determine the effect of the agency issue presented by the Parties.

On this date, the Court discussed these matters fully with Counsel for both Plaintiff and Defendant, and further discussed the request made on behalf of the Plaintiff to continue the hearing scheduled for August 1, 2006.

The Court also discussed with Counsel, for both Plaintiff and Defendant, the possibility of the Parties submitting this matter to arbitration for the purpose of discussing settlement.

The Court further discussed with Counsel the potential length of time to present this matter fully to this Court, in the event that settlement cannot be reached.

Under the circumstances, the following Order is entered:

AND NOW THIS <u>31rst</u> DAY OF JULY, 2006, IT IS ORDERED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The hearing scheduled for Tuesday, August 1, 2006, is continued

generally.

- This Court will hear testimony and accept evidence from the Parties on the remaining issues on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>October 11</u>, <u>2006</u>, <u>at 10:00 a.m.</u>
 The hearing will continue through the next day, if necessary.
- 3. Counsel are directed to continue negotiations regarding arbitration and settlement of this case. Counsel are further directed to notify this Court immediately, if arbitration is agreed upon, and further to notify the Court immediately if settlement is arrived at by that or any other method.
- 4. There will be no further discovery by either of the Parties in this case.

Richard P. Conaboy

United States District Judge